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Application granted. Defendant's sentencing is adjourned; an Order re-scheduling the sentencing will be subsequently docketed.

SO ORDERED.



Philip M. Halpern
United States District Judge

Dated: White Plains, New York
February 24, 2022

By ECF

Honorable Philip M. Halpern
United States Courthouse
Southern District of New York
300 Quarropas St.
White Plains, NY 10601-4150

Re: United States v. Roberta Sligh
S3 20 Cr. 626 (PMH)

Dear Judge Halpern:

On September 9, 2021, Roberta Sligh appeared before your Honor and pled guilty pursuant to a written plea agreement to the lesser-included offense of Count Thirteen of the above referenced Indictment charging her with conspiring to distribute 28-grams or more of “crack” cocaine in violation of Title 21 U.S.C. § 841(b)(1)(B). Ms. Sligh is scheduled to be sentenced on March 3, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. For the reasons which follow, I respectfully request that sentencing in this matter be adjourned for 45-days.

Defense counsel has been resolving some older matters and sentencings, which backed-up during the pandemic. Moreover, I am scheduled to begin a homicide trial in the Bronx (People v. Alexcy De Los Angeles, Indictment No. 2681-17) before the Honorable Jeanette Rodriguez-Morick on March 2, 2022. It is anticipated that this trial will last one month. Afterwards, the defense could benefit from a few more weeks to finish and file its sentencing submission in this matter.

I have discussed the above with AUSA Shiva H. Logarajah who has no objection to this request on behalf of the Government.

Thank you for the Court’s consideration.

Respectfully,

/s/ Matthew J. Kluger

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cc: AUSA Shiva H. Logarajah
AUSA David Felton
AUSA Courtney Heavey